Docket No. P21-169760M/ISI

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Satoshi YAMADA

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Honorable Commissioner of Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Sir:

For:

In response to the Office Action dated October 28, 2005, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper. No new matter has been added.

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 5 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.